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Copy 78Page 1Reference to: Mission 1108, POSSIBLE MISSILE-RELATED FACILITY

SVOBODNYY, USSR

51-15N 128-15E

1. SIGNIFICANCE:

THE POSSIBLE MISSILE-RELATED FACILITY AT SVOBODNYY, USSR, IS THE THIRD FACILITY OF THIS TYPE IDENTIFIED UNDER CONSTRUCTION ON THE USSR-CHINA BORDER.

2. LOCATION:

THIS FACILITY IS LOCATED 4.6 NM SSE OF SVOBODNYY, AND 47 NM EAST OF THE CHINA BORDER AT 51-15-40N 128-15-00E.

3. REMARKS:

THE CONSTRUCTION OF THE SVOBODNYY FACILITY BEGAN BETWEEN [redacted]

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[redacted] THE

GROUND SCARS FOR THE BUILDINGS IN THE SUPPORT AREA WERE OBSERVED. [redacted]

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[redacted] CONSTRUCTION ACTIVITY BEGAN IN THE

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AREA NOW OCCUPIED BY THE ARCH-ROOFED BUILDINGS.

THE CONSTRUCTION HAD NOT PROGRESSED ENOUGH AT THAT TIME FOR AN IDENTIFICATION OF THIS AREA. THE FACILITY AT SVOBODNYY IS THE THIRD

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3. REMARKS (CONT): OF ITS TYPE TO BE IDENTIFIED IN THE USSR.

ALL ARE LOCATED ALONG THE USSR-CHINA BORDER AND HAVE BEEN CONSTRUCTED WITHIN THE LAST SIX MONTHS. THE OTHER TWO ARE LOCATED AT OTAR (43-34N 75-12E) AND AT KHABAROVSK (48-21N 135-02E).

THE EARTH-COVERED ARCH-ROOFED BUILDINGS AT THE THREE FACILITIES RESEMBLE THOSE AT A NORMAL TACTICAL SURFACE-TO-SURFACE MISSILE (TAC SSM) SUPPORT FACILITY. HOWEVER, THE THREE FACILITIES DIFFER FROM A TAC SSM FACILITY IN TWO SIGNIFICANT ASPECTS. THE FACILITIES AT OTAR AND KHABAROVSK HAVE A LARGE 18-BAY VEHICLE STORAGE BUILDING NOT NORMALLY FOUND AT A TAC SSM FACILITY; AND THE FACILITY AT SVOBODNYY HAS THE FOUNDATION FOR A BUILDING OF SIMILAR SIZE. THE WARHEAD STORAGE BUNKER CHARACTERISTIC OF A TAC SSM FACILITY IS NOT PRESENT AT ANY OF THESE THREE FACILITIES. THE TYPE OF MISSILE SYSTEM ASSOCIATED WITH THIS NEW TYPE OF FACILITY HAS NOT YET BEEN DETERMINED.

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5. PREVIOUS COVERAGE: [redacted] AND TWO KH-4 MISSIONS

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6. MISSION READOUT: THE INSTALLATION CONTAINS A WALLED AREA
 WITH TWO EARTH-COVERED ARCH-ROOFED BUILDINGS, TWO ARCH-ROOFED BUILDINGS
 BEING EARTH COVERED, AN EXCAVATION FOR AN ARCH-ROOFED BUILDING,
 SCARRING PRELIMINARY TO EXCAVATION FOR AN ARCH-ROOFED BUILDING, ONE
 PROBABLE VEHICLE STORAGE FOUNDATION, ONE PROBABLE BUILDING FOUNDATION,
 AND A SUPPORT AREA UNDER CONSTRUCTION IMMEDIATELY NORTH OF THE WALLED
 AREA WHICH CONTAINS SEVEN BARRACKS, FIVE PROBABLE QUONSET BUILDINGS,
 TWO OTHER BUILDINGS, AND SEVEN BUILDING FOUNDATIONS.

MISSILE ORDER OF BATTLE: NONE DISCERNIBLE

OTHER OBJECTS: THIRTY PIECES OF LARGE PROBABLE CONSTRUCTION EQUIPMENT
 ARE IMMEDIATELY WEST OF THE WALLED AREA.

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ENLARGEMENT FACTORS:

BRIEFING BOARD 40X

INSET 80X

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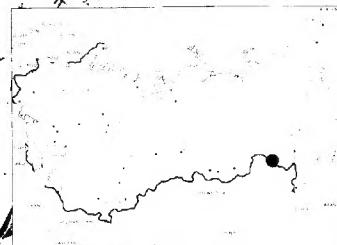
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POSSIBLE MISSILE RELATED FACILITY

SVOBODNYY, USSR

51-15N 128-15E



→ ARCH-ROOFED BUILDING
→ EARTH-COVERED, ARCH-ROOFED BUILDING

BUILDING FOUNDATION

SCARRING
EXCAVATION

SUPPORT AREA UCON

USSR-CHINA BORDER
47 NM

355 METERS
1100 FEET

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